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Chris King Retires From Mail Service After Twenty Years

Christopher R. King retired as mail carrier on R. F. D. No. 1, Graying, Michigan, May 31, 1947, after 20 years of service.

Mr. King was appointed substitute carrier on September 1, 1927, and promoted to regular carrier on May 1, 1928, and has received six promotions as regular.

At the time he took over the route, there were 27 boxes and 33 families being served; at the time of his retirement there were 68 boxes and 92 families being served. When he took over the route, he covered a mileage of 25 miles, which included an extension to Teetown (present site of the Graying Army Airfield), which was discontinued in 1928 when the Star Route to Lewiston was established and that portion of the route was absorbed on the Star Route.

In 1930 an extension was added to the route for the summer months, which took in Danish Landing and McIntyre's Landing, on Lake Margrethe. Until 1940 the route operated as a tri-weekly route, having service on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week during the winter months and daily service during the period of June 15 through September 15.

The route begins from the Post Office on Michigan Ave. to Ross Street, north to the County Road and U. S. 27, and continues on M-83 to serve the lake district and Camp Graying, continuing from there to Beaver Creek, serving the territory to the Five Mile Corner, returning on U. S. 27 to the Post Office.

In his time as carrier, Mr. King has served under two postmasters, has worn out six automobiles, and has traveled over 101,250 miles, equivalent to four times around the earth at the Equator.

By his retirement, Mr. King will be missed by the patrons of the route and the personnel of the Post Office, especially those who frequently missed their pencils.

Mr. King was also acting postmaster at Wellington in the Beaver Creek settlement in 1911 and 1912. He was then appointed postmaster there for two years. He also saw Government service in the U. S. Navy as Bosun's Mate, 2nd Class, in 1907-1908.

To Open New Boys' Camp

A new boys' camp will be opened by Frank R. Trombley on the North Branch of the AuSable, 20 miles east of Graying, June 15. The camp will operate for five periods of two weeks each this summer, it has been announced.

The camp will be known as Camp Nor-Way. It is located on a 40-acre plot, one mile from Mc-Master's Bridge. The property was formerly owned by George Burke of Graying. Mr. Trombley, the camp's director, is a resident of Mount Clemens.

The camp will be devoted, under expert guidance, to the promotion of health and happiness of boys from nine to fifteen years of age, Director Trombley said. About 25 boys will be at the camp during each two-week period, he added.

As was pointed out, the new camp has the distinction of being remote from the hustle and bustle, yet readily accessible. It offers the thrill of wooded isolation, yet is easily reached on main highways.

The program of vacation activities will include softball, baseball, basketball, volleyball, swimming, fishing, croquet, ping pong, hiking, drift boating, picnicking, and group games. Among the many impromptu activities will be song fests, treasure hunts, quiz programs, and talent shows, Mr. Trombley said.

A novel cafeteria style of serving daily, well-planned meals will be used, and in addition to the daily food program will be a mid-afternoon snack, he added. A camp canteen will be open most evenings for the purpose of supplying the campers with extras.

Lions Club News

The Lions Club held its regular weekly meeting Thursday, May 29, at the Graying Restaurant.

The time of meeting has been changed from 6:30 to 8:00, this schedule to last throughout the summer.

Plans were completed for Lions Lady night program for Thursday, June 5th.

Ticket sales are now under way for the two radios, one table model and one console model, to be awarded on July 3rd.

Mrs. Oscar Schumann attended the 50th anniversary celebration of her high school graduating class in Hudson, Michigan, last Thursday and Friday. Thirteen of the original graduates were present. While there she was the guest of a former classmate, Mrs. Harry Bradley, of Adrian. She joined Mr. Schumann in Saginaw, to spend the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Carl J. Bauer Jr. and family.

Spends Leave At Filipino Resort

Private First Class Donald E. Barber, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Barber, of 306 Chestnut, Graying, Michigan, recently spent an eleven day leave in Baguio, Luzon, summer capital and playground of the Philippines, as a guest of Camp John Hay Recreational and Furlough Center.

A student of Graying High School prior to induction into the Army on April 1, 1946, Pfc. Barber left for overseas service the following July, and is now serving with the Motor Pool of Headquarters and Service Company of the 618th OBAM Battalion in the Philippines.

Galvani Services Held Saturday

Funeral services were held at St. Mary's Church here at 9:00 o'clock Saturday morning for Dominic Galvani, 63, who was the victim of a train-car collision at the Lake Street crossing early last Wednesday morning.

The Rev. Fr. Francis Branigan officiated and burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Born in Lucca, Italy, Mr. Galvani came to Seattle, Wash., when he was 21 years old. He worked for construction crews in Seattle, Ohio and Wisconsin, coming here to work at the DuPont company plant until it closed. Since then he had done construction and repair work on an individual basis here.

Surviving are his widow, Mary; nine children: Orlo, Lucy, Irene, Walter, Dominico Jr., Francis J., Tomaso J., all students in local schools, and Mary T., Delores A., and Gerald, at home; a brother, Quintillo S., of Seattle; and a sister, Mrs. Leo Vanni, of Waukegan, Iowa.

According to Sheriff William Gornick, who investigated, the accident occurred shortly after midnight at the Lake Street crossing. The southbound New York Central train struck Galvani's automobile broadside and crushed it between the engine and a freight car on an adjoining track. The automobile was ripped apart and wreckage strewn along the tracks for 200 feet.

If anyone found a black notebook along the railroad right-of-way at the scene of the fatal crash, it is urgently requested that it be returned to Mercy Hospital, as it contains many records that are important to Mrs. Galvani. She also requests that anyone owning Mr. Galvani leave the money at the hospital.

PTA Installs Officers

The last P. T. A. meeting of the school year was held May 21 at the high school. The Secretary and Treasurer gave their reports for the year.

The new officers for next year were installed. Richard Lovely is president, replacing Joseph Lenner; Mrs. Norval Stephan is 1st vice-president, replacing Ernest Larson; Joseph Stripe, 2nd vice-president, replacing Wesley Kumpula; Mrs. Carl Richardson, secretary, replacing Miss Marie La Motte; and Ernest Larson, treasurer, replacing Mrs. Earl Matheson. Rev. R. C. Puffer served as installing officer.

The program was put on by members of the Band. Shirley Souders and Sally Gross gave a clarinet duet; LaVerne Avery, Ann Holm and Joan Bond, a flute trio; George Kessler and George Granger, a cornet duet; Gloria Moore and Nancy Hoelsi, a clarinet duet; Lee Nolan and Dick Owen, a slide-trumpet duet; Barbara Nelson and Betsy Niederer, a cornet duet; and Jack Richardson and Jack Richards, a duet, the former playing a bass horn, the latter a cornet.

Mrs. Oscar Goss was chairman of the refreshment committee, assisted by Mrs. Clara Sales, Mrs. Clara Nelson, Mrs. Bernice Smith, Mrs. Francis Hanson, Mrs. Jesse Smock, Mrs. Norine Hanson and Miss Jean Owen, as well as Joseph Stripe and Eugene Lawler, who presided at the refreshment table.

Speak Vows In Home Ceremony

Miss Helen Grisch of Detroit exchanged vows with Lawrence McDonnell at the home of the groom's father, James McDonnell, on Sunday, June 1.

The couple were attended by the groom's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McDonnell, of Graying. Rev. Kendall, of Hastings, father of Mrs. Herbert McDonnell, officiated. The bride was given in marriage by the groom's father.

NOTICE — DATE CHANGE

The Grange party scheduled for tonight, June 5, is postponed until the evening of June 12, because of graduation week.

Mrs. John Wilcox is a patient at Mercy Hospital, where she underwent an operation on Monday. She is getting along nicely.

Under-sized Trout Cost \$5 Each

Under-sized trout are valued at about \$5 each, Arthur DuPont of Detroit has found out. Pleading guilty to having three under-sized trout in his possession, he was fined \$9 and costs of \$6.60 by Justice Emil Giegling last Saturday morning. He was arrested by Conservation Officer Clarence Roberts.

A Saturday blaze that could have been extremely damaging was finally held to an 8-acre area in Section 20, R. 27, W. 4, on the Manistee River, Conservation officers report. The fire started, they state, when two small boys began shooting fireworks in the woods. Although a heavy wind was blowing, 15 men and a Department tractor and plow were on the scene within 20 minutes and checked the fire before it was out of hand.

A check of fishermen on the North Branch, May 30, contacted 74 fishermen who had taken 42 fish in an estimated 160 hours of fishing, officers said.

Local Doctor Is State Delegate

Among the 15,000 physicians who will gather at Atlantic City on June 7 for the Centennial Session of the American Medical Society will be Dr. C. R. Keyport of Graying. Dr. Keyport will be in attendance as one of Michigan's five delegates. Each state is entitled to one delegate for each 1,000 physicians or major fraction.

The significance of the occasion has been marked by the issuance of a stamp by the Post Office of the United States commemorating the hundredth year. These stamps will become available on June 9 at the time of the annual session. Another feature of the centennial is the publication of the "History of the American Medical Association," a book of some twelve hundred pages, with many illustrations. There is now definite assurance that this book will be available at the session.

On Saturday, June 7, the Board of Trustees of the American Medical Association is tendering a dinner to honor the affiliated professions, industries and leaders in American life. The chairman of the Board of Trustees will preside. Addressers will be given by Gen. Omar Bradley, director of the Veterans Administration; Mr. Basil O'Connor, chairman of the American Red Cross and president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Inc.; and H. W. Prentiss Jr., president of the Armstrong Cork Company, Lancaster, Pa., and president of the National Association of Manufacturers. Arrangements are under way for broadcasting these three addresses on a national network.

On Sunday, June 8, at 11:30 in the morning, a special religious service will be held in the Convention Hall in Atlantic City. There will be an organ recital, followed by addresses given by Dr. Ralph Cooper Hutchison, Rabbi Joshua Liebman and Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen. From 11 to 11:30 a. m., the three speakers will broadcast over Station N. B. C.

On June 9 will come the official opening of the Technical and Scientific exhibits.

On Monday afternoon, June 9, the first of the General Scientific Meetings will be held. Distinguished foreign guests who will participate in the program of Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning and afternoon include Professor George W. Pickering of London, Professor Herbert John Seddon of Oxford and Sir Howard Florey of Oxford.

Dr. Keyport will leave Graying this Friday and will be accompanied by Mrs. Keyport. They will drive to Bay City from where they will leave by train for Atlantic City by way of New York.

Also leaving this week to be in attendance at the convention are Dr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Stealy.

Grayling Ground Loops

Don Goad, Frank Cassel and Harold Long all made solo flights in from Osceola Army Air Base in the Graying Air Service School at the Graying Airport the past week.

Among the many visitors at the Graying Airport over the long Memorial Day week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Oral Mix on Friday, on a trip from Frankfort to Port Huron and then to Battle Creek. Mary E. Anderson of the 89 Club of Detroit landed her Stinson here on a flight from Detroit to Blaney Park. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Duescher dropped in on a trip from Clare to Antigo, Wisconsin. Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Knight flew up from Toledo in their new SeaBea to visit friends here. H. M. Staub flew in from Osceola Army Air Base in an AT-6. Homer Hough flew in to visit the Richard Lowe family. Other visitors were J. Murray, from Clare; L. E. Pitt, from Belaire; John Smith, from Mount Pleasant; Ned Fisher, from Detroit; and Mr. Babbitt, from Waukegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Calkins, (Mary Ann Failing), of Midland, announce the arrival of a son, Ronald Raymond, May 31. He weighed 6 3/4 pounds. Mrs. Otto Failing left Tuesday to spend a week with her daughter and family.

Race Trial Run Is Delayed

The trial canoe run down the AuSable River from Graying to Osceola, to gather facts and material for the proposed 240-mile river marathon, was postponed due to illness among participants from Osceola and Mio.

The trial run was originally scheduled to begin last Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock, at the US-27 bridge in Graying. The starting date now has been set as June 9, next Monday morning, at 8:30. Two canoes will be in the data gathering trip from Osceola, and one each from Mio and Graying. Jack Hull and Charles Duncan will pilot the Graying craft, a brand new Grumman canoe, donated by Ernie Borchers for the trip.

Due to the postponement of the trial run, it was also necessary to cancel the scheduled June 10 meeting of the AuSable River Marathon Committee at Osceola. This meeting was to set up committees to work directly on different plans of the proposed race with facts gathered on the trial run to guide them. The meeting was postponed one week, until June 17. The gathering will convene at the Welcome Hotel in Osceola.

Golf Course Work Begun

The first work on the revamping and rehabilitation of the Graying Golf Club course was started Tuesday morning of this week. With over \$4,000 pledged to help bring the course back to pre-war shape or better, the laying of new greens, the cleaning up of fairways and repair of the clubhouse was started.

Clarence ("Johnny") Johnson has been placed in charge of the entire program of bringing the clubhouse and course back to par, and work is progressing in a very satisfactory manner.

A meeting is scheduled for tonight (Thursday) at 8:15 at the Shoppenagons Inn, for a complete re-organization of the club. New officers are to be named and committees will undoubtedly be appointed. All former members of the club have been notified to be in attendance at the meeting, and all others who have donated to the fund to rebuild the club are urged to be on hand.

Kiwanis Club Notes

Two new members were welcomed into the Kiwanis Club of Graying at its weekly meeting held at Shoppenagons Inn Monday evening. Lieut. Gov. Moore presented membership pins to George Griffith and Gilbert Fowler.

Next week's meeting will be at 9:30 Sunday morning with breakfast at the hotel and the club attending church services in a body at Michelson Memorial Church.

The club has planned a stag picnic at the City Park for the following Monday evening, June 16. After a picnic lunch, the club will get in a little softball practice to get in shape for the first of a 5-game softball summer series with the Graying Lions Club. The first game has been tentatively set for Sunday, June 23, with two more games to follow in July, and two in August. The games will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon. The losing club over the five-game series will play hosts at a banquet for the winners. Roy Milnes has been appointed as the Kiwanis Club captain.

South Branch

Wm. Floeter Sr. of Detroit is spending some time at his farm here.

Dorothy Meents attended her class reunion Sunday at the Higgins Lake State Park.

The Ladies Aid of the South Branch Church met at the church parlors Wednesday for an all-day meeting.

Miss Charlotte Dyer of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dyer of East Lansing were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Dyer.

Robert Jensen and L. J. Dusenbury returned to East Lansing Monday, after spending the week-end at their respective homes.

Rev. Plum will preach at the South Branch Church, Sunday evening, June 8th.

Mrs. Percy Legg and Mrs. Carson Legg attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Jennie Payne Brown, at Williamston, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hodges of Mt. Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. Gid Croteau of Bay City, spent the week-end at the home of their brother, Lester Royce.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bridgman and son Teddy, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watt and children, Patricia and Kent, of Milford, spent the week-end at the Bridgman cabin.

Mrs. Jennie Brown, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Payne, died Thursday, May 29, after a long illness, at her home near Williamston. She is survived by her husband, three sons and two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Shirey of Perry, and Miss Maud Payne of Detroit.

Lovells Man Wins Detroit Rifle Match

Charles Bottoms of Lovells emerged victor in a 100-yard iron sight rifle match, sponsored by the Lincoln Park Gun Club at the Wyandotte Municipal Range last Sunday.

The match was part of a National Rifle Association Registered Spring Small-Bore Tournament. Charlie, who is billed as the Graying trout fisherman, was an easy victor in the match, scoring a mark of 200-8. His closest rival was Ferdinand Schimmel, with 199-13.

Scouts To Buy 400-Acre Site

Purchase was authorized last Sunday by the Boy Scouts Summer Trails Council of a 400-acre tract of land on Bear Lake, west of Graying, on which a new Council summer camp will be developed, George F. Landane, Council executive, announced.

The land, owned by former Graying Mayor George Burke, was optioned to the Summer Trails Council some time ago, after the Graying Kiwanis Scout Committee took Council executives on a tour of the property. A more thorough examination by other Council members resulted in the purchase authorization on Sunday.

Richard Freeman, of Midland, the Council president, was chairman of the Sunday meeting held at the Isosco County courthouse at Tawas-City. The meeting was attended by 19 Council members, representing 15 counties.

CELEBRATE 41st WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson were surprised Friday evening with the arrival at their home in Graying of their son and six daughters and their respective families. The families arrived throughout the day, but delayed the visit to the Larson home until all had arrived. A total of thirty-two successfully invaded the Larson home without the knowledge of Mr. and Mrs. Larson about 9 o'clock Friday night, while their attention was momentarily diverted. The family spent Saturday at the Pines for an all-day outing.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson and children, Ronald, Judy and Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephan and children, Ernestine, Beverly and Peter, all of Graying; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krome and children, Carlton, Marjorie and Joan, of Rosulus, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Earllyn Connin and children, Robert, Douglas and Connie Lou, of Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Long, street, also of Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corwin Jr., and children, Audrey, Richard and Thomas, of Saginaw; and Mr. and Mrs. Clem C. BeMent and daughter, Cheryl Lynn, of Holiday.

The event was two-fold in purpose, commemorating Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson's 41st Wedding Anniversary in addition to marking the National Holiday.

A lovely anniversary cake was made by Mrs. Lee Longstreet, and Mr. and Mrs. Larson were the recipients of many lovely gifts. Special thanks were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corwin Jr., for their efforts in co-ordinating the multiple arrangements to successfully engineer the event.

SUMMER RESIDENT SUCCEUMBS

Services were held May 29 in Toledo, Ohio, for Frank S. Lewis, who passed away suddenly at his home, May 27, of a heart attack. The family was enjoying a dinner party when the attack occurred.

Mr. Lewis had been coming to Graying for 20 years and was a great lover of the Michigan woods and streams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ludeman and son Frank, of Camp Shoppenagons, old friends of the Lewises, attended the funeral.

Maple Forest

Arthur Howse and Vaughn Weaver made a business trip to Lansing and Buchanan last week.

Mrs. Chester Lozon was hostess to the Evening Class of the Home Extension Club last Tuesday.

Martha Peterson and Mrs. Carl Richter furnished a delicious lunch. Plans for a Mother and daughter Banquet were discussed.

Charles Owen of Detroit spent the week-end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hennig of Royal Oak and Mr. and Mrs. George Dettloff of Detroit called on Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Joe Olson entertained the Home Extension Club, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Richard Babbitt and Mrs. Ed Feldhauser won the prizes in a geographical contest. Bessie and Dora Feldhauser served a delightful lunch.

Charles Smith came home Friday morning from Detroit, where he is working.

Miss Zelma Ferguson was an over-night guest of Mrs. Stanley Hummel, Thursday. Friday Jean Owen accompanied her to Petoskey for the week-end.

Gloria J. Feldhauser of Central Michigan College, Mt. Pleasant, spent the week-end with her family.

Grayling Club Loses Twice

Face Rose City Here Sunday

The Graying Independent baseball club will play its third league game when a tough Rose City squad invades the local ball park, Sunday afternoon. Rose City, though it has lost both league games thus far this year, pushed Atlanta to 15 innings before the Atlanta team downed them, 6 to 5.

Grayling lost its league contest Sunday at Comins, by a 3 to 1 count. A first inning spurt by the Comins team resulted in three runs; Bob Gildner, Graying hurler, then handcuffed them for the rest of the game. The winners bunched four singles in the first inning to score the runs that proved winners.

Gildner struck out 5, while Abbe, Comins twirler, whiffed 9. Abbe walked two, while Gildner showed perfect control. Abbe also hit one batsman. Gildner also collected two of Grayling's four hits, with Granger and Giegling each singling once. F. Emig, Comins first-sacker, was the big gun in Comins' attack, with 3 hits in four trips to the plate. Graying had runners on second and third as the game ended.

In the first of the home-and-home non-league series at Gaylord on Memorial Day, the local boys had to take the short end of a 14 to 7 ball game. With Gaylord only belting out 9 to the locals' 8 hits, Gaylord made a big fifth inning count for seven runs, and sewed up the ole ball game. Kaiser, Muhr and Keway were on the mound, with 3, 1 and 5 strikeouts to their credit respectively. Kaiser walked 8, Muhr 1 and Keway 3. Laws and Kurek, Gaylord hurlers, struck out three each, with Laws issuing 8 passes and Kurek none.

Hanson, Gildner, Smith, Keway, Carlson, Kaiser and George Hanson, each connected once. Jack Lovelace, Gaylord backstop, was the big gun for the Northerners' attack with three hits out of five trips. Each team committed 6 misplays. Keway, who started at left field before going on the mound, blasted out the only extra-base blow, a double.

Following are last Sunday's results in the league and the standings and scheduled games for this coming Sunday:

Standings:			
	W	L	Pct.
Roscommon	2	0	1.000
Fairview	2	0	1.000
Atlanta	1	1	.500
Comins	1	1	.500
Grayling	1	1	.500
Mio	1	1	.500
Lewiston	0	2	.000
Rose City	0	2	.000

Games on Sunday, June 8

Lewiston at Mio
Fairview at Roscommon
Comins at Atlanta
Rose City at Graying

In a postponed game, Roscommon defeated Comins, 4 to 2, on Memorial Day.

Frederic News

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker and family, of Saginaw, spent the week-end with Mrs. Nellie Allen; also Bonnie Allen and wife of Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horton were here for Decoration Day, returning to Centerline, Mich., Sunday evening, where he is employed.

Alvin Hunt spent the week with his family here. He was accompanied by his son and wife.

Mrs. Nellie Allen and Mrs. Kenneth Allen attended the graduation of Mrs. Allen's niece, at Kalkaska, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Fox and wife, of Gaylord, visited at the home of Mrs. Burke, Sunday; also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson and family, of Graying.

Mrs. Walter Krause was able to attend church, Sunday evening, after a siege of sickness. Glad to see her able to be out.

Mrs. Eljah Flagg has returned home after a month's visit with relatives in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Barber and daughter, Linda Lee, of Flint, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber.

Miss Carol D. Lodge spent Friday and Saturday with her aunt, and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and family, in Graying.

June 3rd being the 7th birthday of Charlie Bill Lodge, his mother invited in a few of his schoolmates to help him celebrate. A nice lunch of sandwiches, cake, ice cream and pop was served. Games were played. Charlie Bill received nice gifts, and all went home happy.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Payne and James Payne of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, arrived in Frederic Friday morning to spend a few days at the home of their mother.

WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

June 6 — Ladies' Aid meeting at Michelson Memorial Church. 1:00 o'clock. Pot-luck; election of officers.

June 11, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m., Regular meeting Lutheran Jr. Aid at Mrs. Nyland Houghton's.

June 11 — Michelson Memorial Church Sunday School picnic.

June 12 — P. T. A. party, High School Gym. Public invited.

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WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

For Rent
Lost or Found
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
Miscellaneous

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

GOOD HOME WANTED for small breed female mongrel puppy. Fred Ward, down-river, across from AuSable River Inn. 5

WRITE or call Clinton Typewriter Service for "Rebuilding" Typewriters - Adding Machines - Calculators - Comptometers - Mimeographs - Cash Registers. Phone 879. 315 Vine Street, Traverse City. 4-3-11

HELP WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework. Mrs. Andrew Peterson, 708 Chestnut St. Phone 4482. 5-12

FOR SALE—Cinder blocks, cement blocks, brickcrete, lumber (Douglas fir and native). Save dealer's commission. Buy direct through Belten Cartage Co., Cadillac, Michigan. Phone 21, or write. 5-22-11

FOR SALE—Choice Lots. Very desirable sites in beautiful Evergreen Park, Higgins Lake. Inquire Leslie R. Hunter, Hunter's AuSable Dairy, Grayling, Michigan. 5-15-11

FOR SALE—New cement block house. Two bedrooms, living room, kitchen, utility and space for bath. Rock lath interior. City lot with sewer. Art Clough Realty. 22-29-5

FOR CRAWFORD—County real estate at its finest - See Hanson and Co., Robert E. Gritman, Burns Bldg. Phone 2931. 4-3-11

SAND, Gravel, Excavating. Louis Fryhaver, 602 Rose St., City. Phone 3241. 5-1-11

FOR SALE—Norway, half-log pine siding with a ship-lap joint. R. Pangburn, Manton, Mich. 15-22-29-5

SLAB WOOD For Sale—Approximately 4 cords, \$10.00 per load. Phone 4436. Stanley Madsen. 3-13-11

FOR SALE—Lake Margrethe first lane, two wooded lots, double garage. Three bedroom good condition frame cottage. Fireplace. Partly furnished. A buy at \$4,500. Art Clough Realty. 22-29-5

YES, we will be hatching U. S. Certified "Alaskan" White Leghorns every week in June. Also U. S. Approved "Alaskan" Barred Rocks, White Rocks, and New Hampshire Reds. Your order, booked in advance of date chicks are wanted, will be greatly appreciated. Sterling Poultry Farm & Hatchery, Sterling, Michigan. 5-15-11

WANTED—Salesman with car to cover Grayling and vicinity, for manufacturer's agent and distributor, with Neon signs and miscellaneous wholesale items. Apply to D. & H. Sales, Inc., 540 Cuyler St., Cheboygan, Michigan. 22-29-5

FOR SALE—2 used Lawn Mowers: 1 Electric Fan. See Ray on US-27 and Town Hall Rd., Beaver Creek. 5

FOR SALE—Full size Kerosene Range, 5-burner with oven. Reasonable price. Good condition. 909 Ottawa. Phone 3526. 5

DUN RITE RUG CLEANERS—Rugs, carpets and upholstery economically cleaned in your own home. Phone 2451 for estimates. Kendall Welch. 29-5-12-19

WANTED—Woman for part time work at Lake Margrethe. Inq. Frank Sharpe, Lake Margrethe. 5

FOR RENT—By week or year 'round—2 Cabins, everything furnished. "Children welcome." See Ray on US-27 and Town Hall Rd., Beaver Creek. 5

ATHLETES FOOT GERM HOW TO KILL IT. IN ONE HOUR.

IF NOT PLEASED, your 35c back. Any drug for this STRONG fungicide, 75-90. Made with 90 percent alcohol. It PENETRATES. Reaches and kills MORE germs faster. Today

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Turkeys - Chickens - Ducks

We have a complete line of Frozen Foods, including

Frozen Pie

Try one today.

BURROWS' Self-Serve Market
Phone 2291

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, Kalamazoo, large size, black and white. Mrs. Archie Kennedy, 802 Cedar St., City. 5

FOR SALE—Log Cabin, insulated, furnished, fireplace, oil heat and electricity - 10 acres between Shupac Lake and North Branch of the AuSable. Good hunting and fishing, all types. Must be seen. 20 miles northeast of Grayling, at Lovells. See owner, M. G. Thomson, Star Route, Grayling. 29-5-12-19

WANTED—Bartender and waitresses in dining room and bar. Horseshoe Lake Inn, on U. S. 27 - between Grayling and Gaylord. 5-12

SALESMEN WANTED—START A Rawleigh Business. Real opportunity now for permanent, profitable work in City of Grayling. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. MCF-174-K, Freeport, Ill. 5

NOTICE—I will clean and polish both men's and women's shoes at my home. Myrton Burrows, 508 Chestnut St. 5

AIRPORT TRAILER SALES—Has for immediate delivery, Universal, Macomb, Crystal, Liberty and Howard Trailers. Discount to Veterans. Terms. Also Ladd Field Rustic Buildings. Now low prices. Any size you wish. See Ernest Low, Airport Trailer Sales, U. S. 27, Grayling, Mich. 5

FOR SALE—Aluminum cabins, 12 by 20 feet. Complete with floors, windows, doors, and insulated. For further information, call 3911. 5

LOST—Pair of waders with Hamilton wrist watch on them, at Twin Bridges near Lovells, on North Branch, on Saturday. Return to Avalanche office. 5-12

FOR SALE—Apartment size or full size. Piano, both in good condition. Bob Phillips, Star Route, Roscommon, Mich. 5

FOR SALE—Jaeger shaker-hopper concrete mixer, \$690. Used basement sash, \$225. New overhead garage door, \$60. Melvin Marshall, Phone 3861. 5-8-11

FOR SALE—Used kerosene cooking stoves. Some hardly used at all, at give-away prices. Two sofas, 14 fair shape. Welsh Motor Sales. 5

FOR SALE—A Kalamazoo Blue Range complete with oil burner and grates for burning coal or wood, in good condition, \$50. Joe Childner, Phone 3211. 5

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LEGAL NOTICES

CORRECTED LEGAL NOTICE—Due to the delay in receiving my assessment roll, the Grayling Twp. Board of Review will meet June 10 and 11 and 17 and 18 at Grayling Twp. Hall from 9 until 4 o'clock.

A. P. Feldhauser, Supervisor. 29-5

LEGAL NOTICE

The Board of Review for the Township of Lovells will meet at the Town Hall, June 9 and 10.

Ray Duby, Clerk. 5

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 31st day of May, 1947.

Present, Honorable Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Adam F. Gierke, Deceased. Mary Ann Gierke, having filed petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Earl Gierke or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That said 8th day of July, 1947, at 10:00 A. M. at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. 5-12-19-26

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford IN CHANCERY J. Glen Day, Pearl E. Day, Frank Muhr and Jeanette Muhr, Plaintiffs

vs. R. G. Peters Salt and Lumber Company, A Michigan Corporation, R. G. Peters, and their Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Legatees and Assigns. Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION Suit Pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery, on the 29th day of May, 1947.

On reading and filing the bill of complaint in this cause and the affidavit of Charles E. Moore, attorney for said plaintiffs, attached thereto, from which it appears to the court that the above named defendants, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are necessary and proper parties defendant therein, and that after diligent search and inquiry it can not be ascertained

and is not known whether said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them reside if living, and if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living, or where they or any of them may be, and that the present whereabouts of said defendants is unknown, and that the names of the persons included therein without being named but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, can not be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry, and further, that after such search and inquiry it can not be ascertained and is not known whether said defendant R. G. Peters Salt and Lumber Company, a Michigan corporation, has any representative or agent upon whose service of process can be made,

On motion of Charles E. Moore, attorney for plaintiffs, it is ordered that said defendants, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, assigns, agents, representatives and stockholders, cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof, that said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, and

It is further ordered that plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published within 40 days in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, such publication to be printed therein once in each week for six weeks in succession.

John C. Shaffer, Circuit Judge.

TAKE NOTICE, that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described land situate and being in the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, to-wit: The SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 8, T. 26 N., R. 3 W.

Charles E. Moore, Attorney for Plaintiffs, 216 Michigan Ave., Grayling, Mich. 5-12-19-26-3-10

Letters To The Editor

May 22, 1947.

Abroad the M. S. "Batary" Greetings to my friends and relatives in Grayling.

Having a wonderful trip and am feeling fine. Able to eat three good meals a day. Certainly have met some very interesting people, and all very nice and friendly. This afternoon there's going to be a band concert, and a dance to-night for all. Today on deck it was so warm you didn't need a coat on, and could really get sunburned if you stayed out too long.

There are several people from Detroit I know on the boat, so we've had a nice time. Am in with three other women. The cabins aren't very large, but we manage by one getting up at a time. One is a Danish girl who has been in the United States for 7 months and just now returning home to Copenhagen.

Hope everybody is feeling fine. Until next time, I'll close now.

Sincerely, Anna Hanson.

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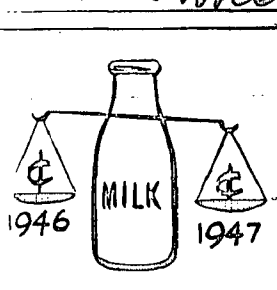
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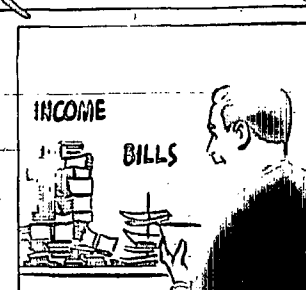
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HOME EXTENSION NEWS

The AuSable Home Extension Group finished its activities for the summer with a noonday luncheon held at Camp Wa-Wa-Sum. Mrs. Flora Skingley, hostess, was assisted by Marion Rokas. The luncheon was prepared by several members of the group from the "Recipes For Today", which was part of the lesson on keeping fit.

The luncheon was followed by the last lesson, "Up-to-date Finishes for Cotton", very ably given by the leader, Mrs. Zo Borchers. Although the new year doesn't start till after Achievement Day next September, election of officers for the next year was held so that the new officers might attend leaders' training meeting to be held in Grayling on June 18. This will be under the direction of Miss Roniker and Miss Markwell, of East Lansing.

Officers for the coming year are as follows: Chairman—Mrs. Cynthia Knecht; Vice-Chairman, Beulah Stephan; Secretary—Eva Stephan; Leader—Zo Borchers; co-Leaders—Fern Feldhauser and Zina Vallad. Mrs. Velma Deckert was elected to the County Executive Committee.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH SCHOOL

The Annual Children's Day Services were held last Sunday at the regular morning worship hour. Instead of the conventional program of songs and recitations, each department conducted its regular devotional program, almost exactly as on ordinary Sundays. In the primary department, the second grade recited "The Lord's Prayer", and the third grade gave "The Twenty-third Psalm". This is required memory work in those grades. Other children gave Scripture verses of their own choice.

The fifth grade presented "The Beatitudes", which they have memorized in recent weeks, and the entire secondary group presented a number of their favorite choruses. The entire congregation joined in the hymns and responses. The Students' Day offering was received by the Junior Ushears.

The Children's Day program concludes the regular church school program for the year. Next Sunday the summer program will be in effect, to continue until September. There will be some

changes in administration, due to the absence of some of the regular teachers, but arrangements will be made to have classes and teachers for all age groups. The regular attendance award system will remain in effect through the summer.

The church school picnic will be held at Higgins Lake on Wednesday, June 11. This will be a basket-lunch family affair, and any one able to help transport some of the children to and from the picnic is asked to contact Mrs. R. A. Funk, phone 4317.

Six Juniors are registered to go to church camp on Sunday, June 15, and ten intermediates are scheduled to go June 28.

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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, June 5, 1947.

In The Name Of Freedom . . .

Freedom is always destroyed in the name of freedom.

This is one of the tragic lessons to be found in the bloody history of the modern world. Mussolini invented Fascism in the name of liberty for the Italian people—and promptly enslaved them in the police state he created. Hitler came to power with a rallying cry of German rights and liberties—and embarked upon an unparalleled reign of terror within the borders of the Reich. Today, the Soviet Union is pushing out the ruthless tenacles of Communism—also in the name of freedom and democracy.

There is one other lesson modern history should have taught us all, and it is this: There can be no real freedom in the super-state. Liberty and all-powerful government are completely incompatible. Power, and the ruthlessness which power breeds, feed upon themselves. Well-intentioned men are cast aside, and dictators take their places. Every fundamental human right is brutally abrogated when it comes in conflict with the ambitions of the leaders.

A nation which weakens its basic liberties in any way gives a hostage to fortune. A nation which depends upon government to perform services which are the proper function of the private individual and of private enterprise is, unwittingly, preparing the way for regimentation and ultimate dictatorship. Now that England is socializing its basic industries, thoughtful observers see a weakening of liberties which have existed there for nearly a thousand years. There must be no vacillation on the part of the people of our own country in opposing European philosophies in our domestic affairs.

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Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

(JUNE 5, 1924)

John Bruun and his guest, Wilhelm Anderson of Bay City, Ross N. Martin of Wolverine and Dr. N. N. Pool enjoyed a cruise down the AuSable Friday in a river boat—its joy trip terminating at Wakeley's. Dr. Pool proved the only fisherman of the party, fishing all the way down, and he had pretty good luck—getting a fine catch. The party enjoyed the trip very much.

George Burke was in Detroit on business for a few days this week.

"Babe" Laurant had his left arm broken at the wrist last Saturday while playing ball at East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and son Casper, of Flint, and Archie McNevin motored to Grayling Friday to spend a few days with Peter, James and William McNevin in families. Mr. McNevin will remain in Grayling for an indefinite time. They were also accompanied by Mrs. Andrew Smith of Saginaw, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Olson. They returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gothro and Mrs. Squires motored to Saginaw Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and daughter Phyllis, and Mr. and Mrs. Anspach, of Monroe, motored to Grayling Friday to spend a few days fishing on the AuSable. The party returned to Monroe Sunday. Mrs. Rasmussen and daughter Phyllis are remaining for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer and children motored to Indian River to spend a day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Feldhauser of Maple Forest spent Memorial day in Utica, Mich., visiting relatives.

Miss Myrtle Winslow of Royal Oak arrived Saturday to spend a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Isenbauer.

Mrs. Margaret Martin of Alpena is a guest of Mrs. E. N. Darveau.

Mrs. John Brown of Manistique visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brown over Sunday.

31 GRADUATE FROM
GRAYLING SCHOOL

The Largest Class in History of Local School
Thursday night, June 12, will be Commencement. Lewis A. Convis of Chicago will give the Commencement address. His subject is: "An Adventure in Happiness". Following are the names of the graduates:

Senior Roll
Henry Ahman, Aubrey Barrett, Helen Bugby, Beulah Collins, Francis Corwin, Florence Corwin, Lena Piffert, Rufus Edwards, Wilbur Good, George Grang, Ruth Harrington, Nyland Houghton, Clarence Ingalls, Carl Johnson, Finley Klingensmith, Wesley LaGrow, Luanna Lietz, Claribelle Lovely, Egard McPhee, Farnham Matson, Loretta McDonnell, Bernice McNeven, Fedora Montour, Grace Nelson, Carl Olson, James Richardson, Marcella Sullivan, Elmer Smith, Edward Trudeau, Helen Ziebell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Everett Buchanan to their home in Bay City Monday.

Norma Klein of Hillman visited Miss Gertrude Ferguson at Mrs. McMaster's home, Sunday.

Lamprey Research
Reveals Many Facts

Conservation department fisheries biologist Vern Applegate is dissecting, examining and measuring upwards of 50 sea lampreys a day, but he draws the

firmly, at eating one of them.

Stories of how lampreys were once an esteemed food of emperors makes no impression on the man who cuts them open by the dozen daily. He isn't having any.

The slimy lampreys give off a sharp fishy odor a few minutes after they come out of the water. Like salmon, they are believed to quit eating before they move into streams to spawn and die. Degeneration of internal organs is marked by change in the color of the liver from red-brown to green, in accumulation of waste products, and in shrinkage of the diameter of the intestinal tract, from lack of use.

Applegate is getting lampreys for examination from a trap weir on Carp Creek, 19 miles north of here, which is less affected by flood waters this Spring than Oquago River where the principal life study investigations are being made. After the spawning run, Applegate will go to work on the lamprey's larval form that lives for years in the mud of creek bottoms before metamorphosing (as a tadpole metamorphoses into a frog) in to the form that swims out into the Great Lakes.

Applegate and his coworkers find themselves in almost totally unexplored scientific territory in their sea lamprey research. In learning the lamprey life history, the investigators are searching for a vulnerable spot for attack on these enemies of the finest Great Lakes food fishes.

Runs to date, reported in nine streams, are predominately of males; stragglers toward the end of the run should be mostly females. The sex ratio should be equal at the peak of the run, expected this season in the last week of May.

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(Continued from Front Page)
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This breakdown in tax responsibility invites an ever-increasing demand for spending by government. The needs of the people are unending and inexhaustible; pressure groups will continue to seek more state aid for their privileged use—worthy as it may be.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

How to Go to Sleep

We were sitting around Bill Webster's parlor Friday evening and the talk turned to the best way of overcoming sleeplessness... like breathing real slow and deep, imagining that you weigh a ton, or simply throwing away the pillow.
 The consensus favored counting sheep. But right away was the question: what kind of sheep? There were some votes for countin' Merinos, Shropshires, Oxford and Dorsets. Ed Mapes said he had best luck counting crossbreeds.
 Finally, Bert Childers spoke up

with his formula: A light snack and a mellow glass of beer at bedtime. Sort of puts you in the mood for quiet thoughts and peace of mind. Lets you relax... and "ho hum," off to pleasant dreams!
 From where I sit, there's nothing like a temperate glass of beer to smooth away the creases of the day, relax a body, and pave the way for a good night's sleep. Try it, and see if I'm not right.

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Bits O' Talk

(Too late for last week's issue)
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chappell and Mrs. Susan Chappell, of Oxford, spent the week-end with the Roy Wolcotts.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Mathews returned Monday from Albion, where Mrs. Mathews has been caring for her daughter, Jimene, who has been very ill for the past four weeks.

It was a happy reunion in Frankfurt, Germany, May 10, when Ted Stephan, son of Ted Stephan Sr., of down-river, and Devere Mathews, son of Neal

Mathews, bumped into each other. The boys were only a block apart, but neither knew there was anyone from home near him. Ted is with the 97th Gen. Hosp., and De with the 909th Ord.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell, well known local residents of 20 years ago, were here over Memorial Day to visit old friends.

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN
 In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford
 IN CHANCERY

William Taylor, Plaintiff

vs.

Robert G. Hatrick, Frederick Wilhelm, Cathine Wilhelm, August Schmidt, Sophia Schmidt, August Peters, Hugh J. Ulbrich, Frederick Wilhelm, Catharin Wilhelm, Daniel Poss, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
 Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford in Chancery, on the 28th day of May, 1947.

On reading and filing the bill of complaint in this cause and the affidavit of Charles E. Moore, attorney for said plaintiff, attached thereto, from which it appears to the court that the above named defendants, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees or assigns, are proper and necessary parties defendant in said cause, and that after diligent search and inquiry it can not be ascertained and is not known whether said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them may reside if living, and if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living, or where they or any of them may be, and that the present whereabouts of said defendants is unknown, and that the names of the persons included therein without being named but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, can not be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry.

On motion of Charles E. Moore, attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendants, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof, that said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, and.

It is further ordered that plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published within forty days in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, such publication to be printed therein once each week for six weeks in succession.

John C. Shaffer, Circuit Judge.
 TAKE NOTICE, that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described parcel of land situate and being in the township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan, to-wit: The S½ of W¼ of Section 24, T. 25 N., R. 2 W.
 Charles E. Moore, Attorney for Plaintiff,
 216 Michigan Ave., Grayling, Mich.

A true copy.
 Leo E. Lovely, Clerk of the Court.
 5-12-19-26-3-10

Council Proceedings

May 5th, 1947.

Regular Meeting
 Meeting called to order by Mayor Ed. Carlson.

Councilmen present: Burke, Tufts, Gothro, Hayes, Carlson; and Attorney Moore. Absent: none.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Bids opened on sale of ½-ton pickup, 1939.

Bid of Chester B. Char-mann \$251.88
 Bid of Aubrey Blaine 155.00

After lengthy discussion on the above bids, the motion was made by Tufts, supported by Hayes, that the above bids be rejected.

Yea: Tufts, Hayes, Carlson, Burke, Gothro. Nays: None.

Motion by Gothro, supported by Hayes, that the B. C. D. Equipment Company, 127 Michigan Avenue, be granted permission to hang a sign over Cedar Street at

the corner of Cedar and Michigan. Yea: Gothro, Hayes, Carlson, Burke, Tufts. Nays: None.

Moved by Tufts, supported by Gothro, that Charles Moore, City Attorney, be engaged to codify and bring up to date all existing city ordinances ready for publication.

Yea: Tufts, Gothro, Carlson, Burke, Hayes. Nays: None.

Moved by Hayes, supported by Gothro, that the city taxes for 1946 on Lot 8, Block 9, Hadley's Second Addition, in the amount of \$28.28, be refunded to Frank Gross, under the Soldiers' and Sailors' Homestead Exemption Act.

Yea: Hayes, Gothro, Carlson, Burke, Tufts. Nays: None.

Moved by Carlson, supported by Hayes, that the following resolution be adopted:

Whereas, It appears to and is the opinion of this Council that the City of Grayling is in need of certain public improvements, namely, a municipal garage, general street improvement program, water and sewer mains, and

Whereas, It further appears that such improvements can be made and financed only through issuing bonds of said City, and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Council that a survey of the aforementioned improvements and an estimate of the cost thereof should be made before any further action is taken thereon, and

Whereas, It is the further opinion of this Council that the City Manager, George Granger, being a graduate civil engineer, and being familiar with the needs of said City and the materials and labor required for making said improvements, is competent to make said survey and estimate.

Now, Therefore, It is hereby Resolved, That said City Manager be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to make the aforesaid survey and estimate and to report the same in writing to this Council at the next regular meeting thereof.

Yea: Carlson, Hayes, Burke, Tufts, Gothro.

Petition received from Holger D. Hanson, Grayling Mercantile Company, Shoppenagons Inn and Geo. N. Olson for an alley at the rear of their property in Block 8, Original Plat. The petition was referred to the City Manager to contact the various property owners involved to try and obtain easements and right of way for said alley.

Moved and supported that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

George A. Granger, City Clerk.

May 12th, 1947.

Special Meeting
 Meeting called to order by Mayor Ed. Carlson.

Councilmen present: Carlson, Burke, Tufts, Gothro, Hayes; Attorney Moore. Absent: None.

After lengthy discussion, it was decided to re-advertise the Chevrolet 1939 truck for sale.

Moved by Burke, supported by Tufts, that the offer of Ed. Ferris of Mason, Michigan, for \$1.50 per yard for crushed gravel stock piled in Grayling, be accepted.

Yea: Burke, Tufts, Carlson, Gothro, Hayes. Nays: None.

Moved by Tufts, supported by Hayes, that construction of the proposed municipal garage be advertised for bids and that the City Manager be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the same.

Yea: Tufts, Hayes, Carlson, Burke, Gothro. Nays: None.

Moved by Hayes, supported by Tufts, that the proposed amendments to the cemetery ordinance be submitted to the Cemetery Board for their consideration and to be returned to the City Council before May 26 for further action.

Yea: Hayes, Tufts, Carlson, Burke, Gothro. Nays: None.

Moved by Burke, supported by Gothro, that additional insurance necessary to cover the new diesel unit at the Grayling municipal electric plant be taken out immediately.

Yea: Burke, Gothro, Carlson, Tufts, Hayes. Nays: None.

Moved by Carlson, supported by Gothro, that the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That inasmuch as State Highway U. S. 27, passes through the City of Grayling, in the interest of public safety and convenience, is hereby requested to cause a traffic survey to be made in the City of Grayling to limit the excessive speed of ve-

hicles on U. S. 27 through the City of Grayling, by establishing speed zones from the North city limits to the South city limits, and vice-versa. And be it further

Resolved, That the City of Grayling shall reimburse the Michigan State Highway Department in the amount of fifty percent of the cost of all such traffic signs as are installed and that such traffic regulations as are hereafter established be incorporated in a local traffic ordinance and enforced. And be it further

Resolved, That at the time of such survey that the advisability of installing a caution light at the intersection of U. S. 27 and M. 72 be investigated.

Yea: Carlson, Gothro, Burke, Tufts, Hayes. Nays: None.

Moved by Burke, supported by Carlson, that the City Manager be authorized to make certain additions and alterations to the city office and that the cost of such alterations and additions be paid for from the city hall building fund.

Yea: Burke, Carlson, Tufts, Gothro, Hayes. Nays: None.

Moved by Carlson, supported by Gothro, that the following resolution be adopted:

Whereas, The City of Grayling, in the County of Crawford, Michigan, desires to make a public improvement, namely, to construct a sewer and water main which requires certain operations within and upon the right of way of State Trunk Line Highway U. S. 27, which is under the jurisdiction of the Michigan State Highway Department; and

Whereas, The Michigan State Highway Department is willing to issue a permit therefor, provided the said Department is assured of indemnity and protection against all liability arising by reason of Michigan law;

Now, Therefore, Be it resolved by the Common Council of the City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, that in consideration of the Michigan State Highway Department granting a permit to the City of Grayling upon proper application therefor to construct sewer and water main along and upon the right of way of State Trunk Line Highway U. S. 27, City of Grayling shall save harmless and indemnify the State of Michigan; the Michigan State Highway Department, Charles M. Ziegler as State Highway Commissioner and his successors against all liability which arises or which might arise either during the preparation for the construction of the sewer and water main along State Trunk Line Highway U. S. 27 or during actual construction of the said project.

Yea: Burke, Carlson, Tufts, Gothro, Hayes. Nays: None.

Moved and supported that meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

George A. Granger, City Clerk.

May 26th, 1947.

Special Meeting
 Meeting called to order by Mayor Ed. Carlson.

Councilmen present: Carlson, Tufts, Gothro, Hayes, Burke. Absent: None.

Called for public hearing on the budget. As no one was present for hearing on the budget, meeting adjourned and a special meeting was immediately called for other business.

Moved by Burke, supported by Gothro, that the following amendments to the cemetery ordinance be accepted and adopted:

Appointment of Board Members
 1. Immediately upon the adoption of this ordinance the City Council shall, by a majority vote thereof, appoint the original three members of said Cemetery Board for the following terms of office:

1 member for the term of three years.
 1 member for the term of two years.
 1 member for the term of one year.

2. In June, 1944, and in June of each year thereafter, the City Council shall, by majority vote thereof, appoint one member of said Board who shall hold office for a term of three years.

3. The term of each Board member (except members of the original Board who shall take office immediately upon appointment) shall expire on the 30th day of June in the year of expiration of term for which appointed, and succeeding Board members shall take office on the 1st day of July in the year of appointment, except that in case of death, resignation or removal from office of any Board member, the City Council shall, as soon as expedient thereafter, appoint a successor who shall take office immediately upon such appointment.

Ex-Officio Members
 The Mayor and City Manager shall be ex-officio members of said Cemetery Board and shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges of any member thereof, except the right to vote. Provided, however, that in any case of a tie vote, the Mayor shall have the right to cast a ballot. The City Manager shall have such powers relative thereto as are granted to him in this ordinance and in the City Charter.

Meetings of Board
 All meetings of said Cemetery Board shall be open to the public and shall be held in the City Office. Meetings of the Board may be held at any other place within said City, provided that public notices of the time and place thereof shall be given as directed by the Board in advance. The Board shall meet at least once in each month on some regular date to be designated by it, and may meet at such other times as it may deem necessary. Special meetings may be called by the Chairman or by the Mayor, and in all such cases reasonable advance notice shall be given personally to each Board member.

A majority of said Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. All other rules of order shall be such as designated by the Board.

Board Officers
 At the first meeting of said

Board which shall be held as soon as convenient after the appointment thereof, the members shall elect one of them to be Chairman, one to be Vice-Chairman, and one to be Secretary. The duties of the officers shall be such as are designated by said Board. Said officers shall thereafter be elected annually by said Board and shall hold office until the 30th day of June of the year following their election or until their successors shall have been elected and taken office.

Compensation of Board Members
 No member of said Board shall either directly or indirectly receive or accept any compensation for serving as such. The Board may, by a majority vote thereof, reimburse out of funds at its disposal, any of its members for expenses actually and necessarily incurred by such member in the discharge of duties imposed upon such member by the Board and for which reimbursement has been authorized in advance of such expenditure.

Control and Management of Cemetery
 1. Subject to the limitations herein contained, said Cemetery Board shall have jurisdiction and control of the maintenance and beautification of the Cemetery of the City of Grayling.

2. All authority and control over hiring and discharging of cemetery employees, hours and seasons of employment, rates of compensation, purchase of equipment and supplies and all other expenditures of cemetery funds shall be vested in the City Manager subject to all limitations upon purchases now or hereafter contained in the City Charter.

3. Subject to the approval of the City Manager, it shall be the duty of said Board to provide a written or printed schedule of rates, rules and regulations governing the sale of burial lots and the use and maintenance of said cemetery.

Said schedule may be altered and amended from time to time by said Board and City Manager. Copies of all schedules shall be kept on file at the City Office for public inspection.

4. Subject to the approval of the City Manager, said Board shall have the power and authority to make such alterations in the present plan of said cemetery as it may deem fit and proper, including the alteration, closing and opening of cemetery roads, alteration of size of cemetery lots, zoning, establishment of price differentials, and all other alterations as said Board in its discretion deems advisable and for the best interests and efficient management of said cemetery.

Finance
 1. The City Council shall provide annually in the city budget for funds to be deposited to the credit of said Cemetery Fund and to be disbursed under the direction of said City Manager, each fund to be transferred from the general fund of said City into a special account to be designated on the City books as the "Cemetery Fund", and to be in such amount as the City Council shall deem necessary for the proper care and maintenance of said cemetery and within the means of said City to provide. In addition to such annual appropriations there shall be deposited in said fund all sums received from the sale of burial space in said cemetery, and all contributions received for the improvement and maintenance of the same.

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Labor Monopolies Cloud Business Sky

Monopoly labor union power in essential industries has become a new factor to consider in judging economic trends, according to William K. Jackson, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

"To an extraordinary degree," he said, "the business trend has come under the influence of labor-management relations."

"The rise and fall of the business curve in 1946 closely followed the rise and fall of man-hours lost in strikes. The sensitivity of total production to strikes in essential industries was illustrated by the fall of industrial indices during strikes in steel, coal and transportation."

"It is evident, therefore, that prospects on the labor-management front dominate to an unusual extent the general business outlook."

"Some say the rash of strikes simply recapitulates economic history in the period immediately after World War I. That period, like the present, was marked by rising living costs and unrest as the aftermath of war."

"But the disruption of industry by strikes cannot be dismissed by drawing a parallel with the past. Organized labor never had in 1919 the tremendous power it holds over industry and public welfare today."

CRAWFORD COUNTY LIBRARY

(Too late for last week's issue) The Library has been busy as a beehive the past few weeks, with the term-end rush of book reports and other last-minute student activities.

The Book League's May selection is "The Quarry," by Mildred Walker. In 1934 Miss Walker won the Avery Hopwood Award with her first novel, "Fireweed." Her succeeding book has added to her fame, and she has achieved her greatest triumph as a portrayal of great drama in the lives of ordinary people in "The Quarry," her seventh book.

In general, it is the story of the Converse family, owners of a great soapstone quarry in Vermont, and not since "How Green Was My Valley" has a novel dealt so intimately with the problems of one family. In particular, it is the story of one of the three Converse sons, Lyman, of his enduring love for one woman, and his companionship with his colored foster-brother and life-long friend, Ray Williams; of his unflinching loyalty to the Negro who rose from the tragedy of discrimination to become superintendent of the quarry and reached the final triumph of his life when his

neighbors elected him town selectman.

Other recent Book League selections are "The Thresher," by Herbert Krause, and Rose Frankens' "Young Claudia".

Michelson Memorial Church School Notes

(Too late for last week's issue) Perfect attendance pins were awarded in the primary department for the month of May to the following: Pre-school class—Ann Marie Stancil, Arnold Stancil, Billy Trowbridge, Carmen Madsen, Joey Robertson, Teddy Horning; Kindergarten—Junior Horning, Maryda Stillwagon, Larry Trowbridge, Alan and Albert Johnson, Susan Kay Wiggins; First Grade—Judy Larson, Connie Mikkelsen, Betty Horning, Larry Andrews, Roger Nelson, Richard Davis; Second

Grade—Billy Martin, Martha Stillwagon, Newton Allison, Betty Decker; Third—Mary Jane Wakeley, Mary Richardson, Jonas Newell, Ilene Horning, Andrea Brown, Hans Andrews, John Robertson.

Rainy weather as well as the absence of the Boy Scouts contributed to a definite slump in attendance. For the second consecutive week the high school class earned the attendance banner.

Ten intermediates are registered.

to attend camp the last of June. Word has just been received that registrations for Junior camp are limited to four from each local church for the summer.

The entire church school will remain in session and the attendance award plans will continue to be in effect through the summer months, instead of closing as has been customary.

The next important event on the church school calendar is the picnic, June 11.

Air Power Is Peace Power

"Air power is not only military aviation, it is civil aviation; it is the aircraft industry; it is everything that goes into the aviation potential of a country. The Air Force is the military part of Air Power, the force that can be applied directly against an enemy, but everything else supports it. So any program which increases flying in the United States, which supports flying in the United States, which adds to the efficiency of the aeronautics industry to meet the calls of emergency,

which increases air acceptance in America, is helpful to Air Power," so said Major General Fred Anderson, A.F., in a speech on January 22, 1947.

With Major General Anderson's remarks in mind, there certainly is no doubt that pilot training under the GI Bill of Rights has an established place in the Government's over-all Peace Program. Rumors that the cost of training will be deducted from any bonus is obviously a result of misunderstanding.

Pilot training is the same as studying for any college course, with the added advantage of being able to be home and take your training part time. You can fulfill your home responsibilities and take part in the training program, rather than sacrificing one for the other. Veterans having doubts as to the benefits of their training should contact their Veterans' Organization, or the Veterans' Administration representative for verification.

The Grayling Air Service is an accredited Flying School. We have a contract with the Veterans' Administration to furnish flight training to any GI who is entitled to the benefits and can pass the physical examination.

Total cost to the veteran is: Physical Examination (by any Physician) \$ 5.00 \$3,000 Ins. Coverage 5.00 Log Book 75

Total Cost to Veteran \$10.75

The Government pays for the balance, which includes necessary books for training, 18 hours ground school; up to 20 hours dual; up to 30 hours solo; all the training needed to qualify for a Private Pilot License. There is no cost to the veteran.

However, there is necessary paper work which must be done, such as determining entitlement, claim number, etc.

We advise that any veteran who desires to take the training bring a copy of his Discharge to our office. We will help him make out the application and necessary papers, which are then forwarded to the Veterans' Administration. When processed they are returned to the veteran. He can bring them back to this office and we will hold them until it is convenient for him to begin his course. It is important to remember that the paper

work must be handled first so that we can plan and schedule the classes.

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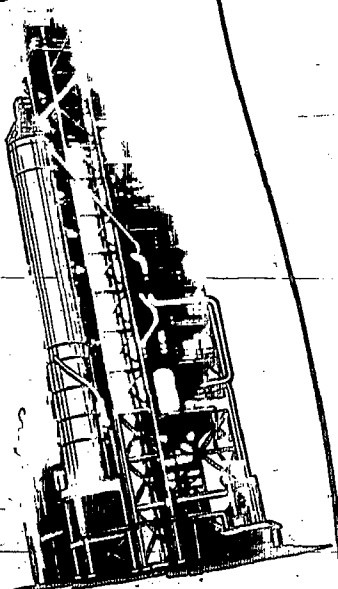
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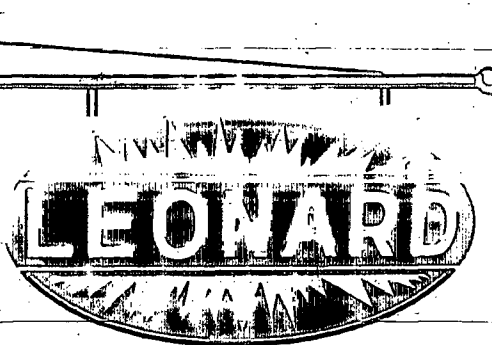
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"Well?" His voice was demanding.

"I beg pardon, sir, but your grandmother is anxious to start dinner." He bowed politely and left.

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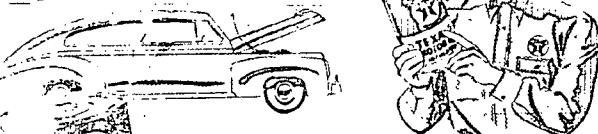
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GOVERNOR SIGNING JUNE DAIRY MONTH



Governor Kim Sigler signing the June Dairy Month Proclamation recognizing the importance of our \$200,000,000 dairy industry to the general welfare of the citizens of Michigan. Members of the Dairy Month Committee, L. N. Francke, Michigan Allied Dairy Assoc., A. C. Baltzer, Michigan State College, Charles Stone, American Dairy Association, F. M. Shivor, Michigan Department of Agric., and Stanley Powell, Michigan Farm Bureau, are receiving the proclamation from Governor Sigler.

Michigan with 1,080,000 dairy cows ranks sixth in the Nation as a dairy state producing annually over 2 1/2 billion quarts of milk, the sale of which accounts for over one-third of the farm income, in some counties it is the source of 50 to 60% of all farm income.

"Who was that?" Kit had not expected this further inquiry and answered hesitatingly.

"Why, oh, someone I'm sure you've never seen."

The old lady did not seem even aware of her answer and sat crocheting until she came to the end of her stitches. She stood, and her posture made even her short stature seem tall, and turning to Kit she spoke curiously, although the expression of her eyes belied her tone.

"Perhaps I know who you mean."

And turning on her heel, she led the way to the dining-room.

Working Overtime At the Clarion

The Centennial celebration kept the office of the Clarion busy during the next week. Deciding which of the twenty-some families should be given the place of honor as Lexington's first family was a job that entailed more than a little diplomacy.

Several nights the Clarion force stayed after hours in order to get out an extra on the eve of the celebration. It was to be a real souvenir for the people of the town and each one in the office was more than willing to give it his time.

On Wednesday night they finished most of the copy and the layouts. Thursday morning it would go to press and be ready for Friday evening, when it would go on the streets.

Johnny was working at one of the desks in the outer office as he was going over copy with both Handley and Kit.

"Hey!" he exclaimed quickly in the middle of a sentence he was dictating. "Look at the time! The Guild had better not hear of this!" It was almost twelve, to the surprise of both girls and Johnny. "Shall we call it a day and a half?"

CHAPTER V

Kit, however, did not stop her typing. She looked up for only a moment. "Can't stop here, Johnny. You'll have to wait another column and a half."

Handley slowly picked up her papers, as if trying to think of an excuse to stay on until they all should leave, but finding none, she finally went out the door, leaving Johnny and Kit alone in the outer office. J. D. was working busily inside his office and seemed perfectly oblivious to whatever company he might still have in the building.

Johnny tried desperately not to watch Kit as she finished her work, but it was almost impossible. He noticed the soft curl of her hair that hung on her shoulders like a bright shawl. Her hands, working so methodically at the typewriter, were graceful even in their haste. So many things about her he loved. So many things.

Once he thought he could stand it no longer, that he must reach out and touch her and bring her close to him and tell her of his love. But second thought told him it was useless.

Eventually, the typewriter stopped and he was brought back to reality. Kit pulled her small beret from her drawer and sat it at the right angle on her head without the help of a mirror.

"Well, Johnny—that does it. She started on to the door, then turned as she reached it. "Good night, Johnny."

"Kit—" he called as she opened the door.

"Yes?"

"Why—I was going to say that it's pretty late, and if there's no one waiting for you—well, since it's so late—" He felt like an awkward schoolboy asking for his first date, but he was afraid that she might get a wrong impression of his suggestion after the night at the park when he kissed her.

"That you think you better walk home with me?" She smiled. "Well, I don't really think you have any cause for worry, but if it will make you feel better, Johnny..." She closed the door and stood waiting until he told J. D. they were leaving.

The evening was cool, and although there was no moon, the stars scattered themselves across the sky as though God had thrown a handful of stardust on the floor of Heaven.

It was good to be walking with Kit, Johnny thought. He liked her long, even strides keeping pace with his own. They reached her aunt's house all too quickly and Johnny walked up the porch steps with a feeling of regret.

"Would you like me to fix us a cup of coffee, Johnny?" she asked him quickly, as if with sudden decision.

"That would be great, Kit," Johnny answered, both delighted and surprised at her suggestion.

She took him directly to the kitchen and he sat at the small white kitchen table and watched her making the coffee. He noticed how very young she seemed here in these unpretentious surroundings. Her red-checked gingham apron added further to the atmosphere.

While she was waiting for the coffee to come to a boil, she came over to the table and sat down opposite Johnny.

"Johnny—I asked you in because I wanted to tell you something. I—I met your grandmother last week, Johnny."

He looked at her and the sincerity in her face. The words she spoke were only of secondary importance to him; the fact that she had wanted him to know this—that was most important.

Johnny Takes The Initiative

"Johnny—there's a picture of your mother. It's—" She hesitated, not finding the right words to explain it to him.

"Yes, yes, I know. She's beautiful, isn't she, Kit?" He took his eyes from her and looked down at the table as if the sheer memory of her was a solemn one.

"Then you've been there, Johnny? You've seen her?" she asked quickly.

"Yes—about three weeks ago. I meant to tell you."

"Did you get to talk to her, Johnny?"

"No. But I saw her, and more than that, I saw my mother, Kit. I saw all the things there I needed to keep me trying. There's so much in her eyes. She wanted that park so badly Kit. And she'll have it yet, I—"

Kit did not answer him. She only looked at him with deep admiration in her eyes and something deeper in her heart she did not recognize. The coffee had boiled over and was running down the side of the stove when they finally remembered it.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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Due to the delay in receiving my assessment roll, the Grayling Township Board of Review will meet June 11 and 17 and 18 at Grayling Township Hall from 9 until 4:00 o'clock.

A. P. Foldhauser, Supervisor. 29-5

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Crawford County Road Commission at Grayling, Michigan, until 10:00 A. M., E.S.T., Thursday, June 5, 1947, for furnishing the following tires and tubes:

- Tires:
 - 4 each—6:00x16 4-ply passenger car type.
 - 3 each—7:50x15 10-ply 10w platform trailer type.
 - 2 each—8:25x20 10-ply H. D. Truck & Bus all weather tread.
 - 4 each—9:00x20 10-ply H. D. Truck & Bus all weather tread.
 - 6 each—10:00x20 12-ply H. D. Truck & Bus all weather tread.
 - 6 each—11:00x20 12-ply H. D. Truck & Bus all weather tread.

- Tubes:
 - 2 each—6:00x16
 - 1 each—7:50x15
 - 1 each—8:25x20
 - 2 each—9:00x20
 - 2 each—10:00x20
 - 2 each—11:00x20

All bids to be in sealed envelopes and plainly marked as to their contents.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects in bids.

Crawford County Road Commission.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon 29-5

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 12th day of May, 1947.

Present, Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of George W. Smith, deceased.

W. M. Saxon having filed his petition praying that an instrument duly admitted to Probate in the State of Iowa, be admitted to Probate and Recorded in Michigan and that administration of said estate be granted to Foster Neer or some other suitable person. And having filed all exemplified copies required by statute.

It is Ordered, That the 6th day of June, A.D. 1947, at ten A. M., at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said hearing in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. 15-22-29-5

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling, in said County, on the 8th day of May, 1947.

Present, Honorable Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alvin Richter, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court;

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 14th day of July, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche in Grayling, Michigan, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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In the Matter of the Estate of Anna M. Richter, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased;

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 14th day of July, 1947, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Lyman of and Ranids are spending six months at their cabin on the Manistee.

Mrs. John Yuill and daughters, Yvonne and Diane, of Vanderbilt, spent Thursday with Mrs. Robert

Ziebell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley LaGrow announce the arrival of a daughter, Janet Ellen, at Mercy Hospital, May 30. She weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henry Nielsen Jr. are the proud parents of a son, born Memorial Day at Mercy Hospital. The little fellow tipped the scales at an even 7 pounds, and will be known as Douglas Bruce.

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Hickok Wallets	\$5.00 to 10.00
Interwoven Hosiery	\$.55 to \$1.50
Neckties	\$1.00 to \$1.50
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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin arrived Friday to spend the Decoration Day holiday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Litchfield and Mr. and Mrs. A. Bueltman, all of Detroit, spent the week-end at their cottage at Lake Margrethe. Tom Welsh and friend Bob Edy, of Marquette, spent from Friday until Wednesday visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh, and brother, Fred C.

Mrs. Lula Shaw returned home from Detroit last Wednesday and had as her week-end guests the Harold Scarlets of Detroit.

Edward and Fred Mason spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mason.

The Charles Kaufmanns of Saginaw spent the week-end at their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jerome spent the week-end at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Marshall of St. Johns arrived last Wednesday to spend the week-end at their cabin on the AuSable. Their sons, Schuyler Jr. and Robert and wife, of West Branch, were their week-end guests.

Recent guests of the Emil Giegling family were Mrs. Giegling's aunt, Mrs. Hattie Ross, son Donald, and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Nash, of Beaverton, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Peterson, of Atlanta, are making their home in Grayling for the summer. He will work for the Institute of Fisheries under Dr. Leonard Allison, and will return to the University of Michigan in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gangler of Detroit spent the week-end at their cottage on Eagle Point. They had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Van Horn of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Preston and daughter, Miss Ernabelle, spent the week-end at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Notice!—In keeping with the times and present day practices, we are closing our office on Thursdays. Office hours for both Dr. C. R. Keyport and Dr. C. G. Clippert will be daily from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m., except Thursdays.

The Robert Klein family have purchased the Cholo property on Maple Street.

Miss Faith Nolan was home from Midland to spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Howard Nolan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kronenberg of Fort Wayne, Ind., are guests of the George Griffiths, "down river."

Mrs. Hazel Bowen and sons Keith and Lloyd, and daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Bailey and son, of Flint, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Millikin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis and children spent Sunday with their parents, the Charles Doblers, of Melita, Michigan.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cariveau were Mrs. James Cariveau and Irving Cariveau, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cariveau of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cariveau Jr., of Detroit, spent the week-end with their daughter and family, the Robert LaMottes.

Earl Burns attended the Masonic Grand Lodge, held in Detroit on May 27 and 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Widman returned to Grayling, Sunday, after spending some time in Columbus, Ohio.

Ladies Aid of Michelson Memorial Church will meet at the church for a one o'clock pot-luck election of officers, June 8.

Mrs. John T. Clement of Detroit was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clement.

Steve Jennings and family of Hazel Park, and his brother Enos and wife spent the week-end at Steve's cottage at Shaw's Park.

Mrs. E. A. Jennings had Edwin Burgin and wife, of Brighton, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Rudduck, of Milan, as guests over the week-end.

Mrs. A. P. Feldhauser and mother, Mrs. Susie Wythe, spent the week-end visiting the Carlton Wythe family in Charlotte. It was by way of being a reunion, as the Wm. Wythe family, and Clifford Fuller family were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Westerholm spent Memorial Day week-end in Cleveland, Ohio, and Erie, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. David Bradley of Boyne City is visiting her son and family, the Henry Bradleys. On Sunday she celebrated her 80th birthday.

The Clyde Thompson family, now of Owosso, spent the week-end with his brother, Clarence Thompson and family.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Girl Scouts of Troop No. 4 and leaders, Mrs. Grace Andrews and Mrs. Yvonne Westerholm, entertained their mothers at their final meeting of the year last Wednesday evening. A very enjoyable program was given, with the following girls participating:

Beatrice Quinn, Donna Morency, Anita SanCartier, Jerimae Harwood, Joan Andrews, Jeanne Lovely, Sally Bishaw, Cora Ann LaGrow, Beverly Denewitt, Juanita Morency, Viola Lazarowicz, Dorothy Decker, and Betsy Niederer.

Later a lovely buffet lunch was served by candle-light with Louise Lutz presiding at the silver tea service.

Lovells Notes

Joan Kurchenko of Shupac Lake had as her guests over the week-end, Mabel Roheller and Marylee Gore, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kurchenko have as their guests the latter's nephew, George Murley and wife. They were married Saturday, May

31, and are spending their honeymoon on Shupac Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kurchenko of Lovells and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore of Guthrie Lake are spending a few days at their respective homes in Hazel Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pascal of Midland spent the week-end at the Ray Dubys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haefka of Midland spent the week-end at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heyworth and son Bill spent the week-end with Mr. Heyworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heyworth. Mrs. Wm. Heyworth returned to Flint for a few days.

Phil Simson visited with old friends in Lovells over the week-end.

Floyd Williams and a friend, of Cleveland, Ohio, did a little fishing at H. O. Yoder's and came out with their limit of nice trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pomeroy of Pontiac spent the week-end at their cottage east of Lovells.

Dr. Shannon and the Bud Longs were at their cabins over the holiday.

All available places, cabins and cottages, were filled over the past week-end. Fairly good fishing was reported.

The Joe Gayers had several guests for Decoration Day week-end.

Guests at the J. Gardopce home over Sunday were Mrs. Arthur Lake and son, and Mr. and Mrs.

A. Coon and family, of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bigelow and daughter Marge and husband spent a few days here, guests of the Carrolls.

Mr. and Mrs. Colburn Spaulding of Midland were guests of the former's parents over the week-end. They are busy each time here erecting a new cottage on their property on Shupac Lake.

Mrs. Roy Scott is visiting relatives in West Branch and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholas and Mr. and Mrs. Seeley, of Toledo, Ohio, occupied one of the Scott cabins over the week-end and while here made reservations for the fall deer hunting season.

Some very nice cottages are being built along the river property bought of the Wm. Spauldings.

The McCanns, with other guests, were at their cottage, "The Riverdale", on the North Branch, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory and daughter, also Mr. Gregory's brother and wife, spent a very pleasant week-end at their cabins.

The dance sponsored by the Ladies' Club of Lovells was a huge success Saturday night at the Town Hall. All are most welcome to attend every Saturday night.

The party at the same place Friday night was well attended.

Margie Caid returned to her school duties Sunday night after the week-end spent at home.

Lovells Sunday School will re-

sume studies Sunday, June 8, at the Ladies' Club Hall. All are welcome to join with us in this work.

Several fine contributions have been toward a new chapel, to be built in Lovells. We need the help of all.

The Clarence Moores had several guests from Detroit over the week-end at their summer home on Guthrie Lake.

Joan Kurchenko entertained a couple girl friends of Detroit last week-end.

FREDERIC MOMS

The Frederic MOMS will hold their next meeting on June 12 at 8 p. m., at which time Mrs. Grace Chaffee of Gaylord will be a guest of the club and will report on the National Convention held at Buffalo.

Other officers elected at the May 13 meeting that were not reported were: Chaplain, Marion Bumschattel, and Assistant Chaplain, Lulu Flagg.

CARD OF THANKS

Our recent sad loss leaves us with grateful hearts toward neighbors and friends. Their comforting expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

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Bits O' Talk

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The Donald Parents spent the week-end at their cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Welsh spent Wednesday of last week in Muskegon, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Welsh's uncle. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Flora Morton of Alpena. Week-end guests at the Welsh apartment were Mr. and Mrs. Karl H. Miller and Miss Rhoda Jean Miller, of Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. Bram LeBoutt, Betty Macauley and Ronald Bode, all of Detroit, were guests of the Edw. LeBoutts at the Wm. Strope cottage over the week-end.

The Harold Skamers of Lansing spent the holiday week-end with the Merwyn Skamers, joining the LeBoutts in a trip downriver, Saturday.

Mrs. Philip Williams and daughter Linda left for Dearborn, after spending a week with the W. P. Smiths at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweet of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. A. LeTurreau of Alpena spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Van Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Olson Jr., of Racine, Wisconsin, and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Olson and children, Peter and Laurianne, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Olson Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood and daughter, Kathleen, and Miss Laura Schroeder, of Midland, were guests of Mrs. Ellen Failing for the holiday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Woods have returned home from Detroit, where they had been since March.

Miss Anna Nielsen of Grand Rapids is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Julius Nielsen, sisters Misses

Margrethe and Olga, and brother A. J. and family. Her week-end guest was Miss Mabel Richmond. Everett Corwin, guest Mrs. Harriet Byers and son Larry, of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corwin Jr. and children, Tommy, Dick and Audrey, of Saginaw, spent the holiday week-end at the Charles Corwin farm. Mr. Corwin spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. M. Robinson is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Charles DeWitt and family. Little Michael McClain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain, who has been seriously ill and confined to the hospital at Traverse City, is reported somewhat improved.

Miss Wanda Cardinal of Pontiac spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cardinal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Matton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bell, all of Pontiac, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cardinal and Mrs. James Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cardinal of Saginaw, and son, Francis, of Flint, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Caniff.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Weaver and family had as their week-end guests, the Ernest Turners of Jackson, and Dr. E. V. Finlay of Union City, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilcox and family, of Flint, Mrs. Jacob of Mancelona, and Mrs. Fred Crooks of Frederic visited relatives in Grayling on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schlosser of Clio, Mrs. McCloft and Harold Seard, of California, visited at the Aden Bennett home over the week-end.

Cadet Nurse Jane Milnes is enjoying a two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Milnes, and brother Bub.

The Arthur Fredricksons of Pleasant, Calif., are spending a month here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wardlow of Saginaw spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Wardlow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bigham.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis and daughters, Constance and Gwendolyn, spent Friday in Comins, visiting Floyd's sister, Mrs. Vivian Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell returned with them to spend a few weeks with their grandmother, Rev. Davis, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. SanCarter and son Walter and his daughter, Mary Ellen, and Eleanor Winston spent Saturday in Traverse City on business.

The Junior Class had its annual class picnic at Higgins Lake, Tuesday evening. Mr. L. H. Christian is their co-sponsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Barber of Romulus, Mich., visited his brother, Charles Barber and family, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Brone and daughter Alice, of Pontiac, and Thomas Sikes motored to Aiden last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Glick and daughter Monala also accompanied them. Monala remained there from Thursday until Sunday, visiting Merton Dale and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Beckman, Henry Beckman and a friend, Harry Hoffman, visited Mr. and Mrs. Beckman and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bielski over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bielski had as their guests over Memorial Day, and over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walkowicz, Mrs. Louise Sumal and daughter Lorraine, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Walkowicz and sons Leon and Paul, all of Detroit.

Cecil Vickery visited his sister, Mrs. Olla Cooper, over the week-end.

John Ealling, Mrs. L. E. Norwood, Mrs. Dore Hogentown, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galloway, and daughter, Evelyn, of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Canfire and family, of Muskegon; Mr. and Mrs. Jud Spikits of Lansing, who are honeymooning; Oswald Weaderman, Alfred Galloway Jr., of Traverse City, were guests at the Alfred Galloway Sr. home over the week-end.

Visitors at the B. H. Yoder home over Memorial Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Seibert and daughter Nancy Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Grover and son Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yoder and sons, Bob and Dick Yoder, Wm. Rice and Ernie Buck, all of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Randolph and daughters, Joan and Phyllis, visited in Traverse City, Memorial Day.

Jennie and Irving Carrievau of Detroit were week-end visitors at the Robert La Motte Sr. home.

Mrs. Taylor Loper and Mrs. Edna McEvers were hostesses at a stork shower given in honor of Mrs. Gloria Nielsen (Gloria Jean McDaniels), Tuesday, May 27. Games were played, with prizes going to Ernestine Stephan, Mrs. Carl Nielsen, Mrs. Alva Stephan and Mrs. Stanley Lazarowicz.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to take this means of thanking all those who remember our little son in his illness with cards of cheer and gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain and Michael

Beaver Creek

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Green of Midland have purchased an acre of land from L. Kile and will soon start their cabin.

Louis Draves of Love's Dairy spent the week-end visiting and shopping in Gladwin, Midland and Bay City.

Dr. Godfrey had the rear of his car badly crushed when struck by a late model car traveling at high speed on M-27 near the Roy Milklin home.

Jimmy Dibble has arrived home at "Whispering Pines". He is employed at the Forestry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Millikin and son are staying at the Frank Millikin home at present, also Mrs. Donna Mae Feltman. Ruth Millikin expects to undergo surgery

this week.
Electricity has been installed at the Martin Jagosh home. Mrs. Jagosh has been very ill.

MAPLE FOREST NEWS

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parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Feldhauser.

Herbert Olson of Grayling is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Olson, while his wife and children are visiting in Cleveland, Ohio.

Memorial Day visitors at the Oscar Parsons home were: Clarence and Claude Barber, of Farmington, and their mother, Mrs. Frank Barber, of Roscommon; Mrs. Laura Knibbs and son, Earl Garver, of Detroit.

Monday night a 4-H Club meeting was held at the town hall.

Stanley Hummel went to Peetoskey, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Jewel visited Mrs. Alta McMillan the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Feldhauser and baby, of Grayling, spent Sunday at the Ted Baynham home.

Mrs. Stanley Hummel and son Alfred went to Lapeer, Monday.

Ed Feldhauser went to Kalkaska, Monday.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Grayling at the City Office until 7:30 P. M. June 9th, 1947, for the sale of the following equipment:

1-1938 Model 1/2 ton Chevrolet pickup
1-1940 Model Ford V8 1 1/2 ton dump truck

The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. The trucks may be seen by calling at the City Office, Grayling.

George A. Granger, City Clerk.

County Road Comm. Minutes

May 5, 1947

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission, held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Clare Madsen, Chester Lozon.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman, Arthur Feldhauser.

Minutes of the last regular and four special meetings were read and approved.

Motion made by Chester Lozon and supported by Clare Madsen, to approve the Payroll of April 16, 1947, to May 1, 1947, amounting to \$3,932.20. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

Motion made by Chester Lozon and supported by Clare Madsen, to approve the following bills for payment: All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

1 Crawford County Road Commission \$3,932.20
2 A. L. Hull 203.39
3 Arthur Feldhauser 44.40
4 Clare Madsen 25.40
5 Chester Lozon 28.60
6 William Ferguson 87.50
7 Ernestine Stephan 62.50
8 Clarence Small 112.50
9 Donald Akers 120.00
10 Cadillac Overall Supply 6.75
11 Hanson Hardware 14.47
12 Auto Electric Service 61.37
13 Corwin Auto Sales 7.65
14 Louis Bill 103.70
15 Tri-County Telephone Company 18.42
16 City of Grayling 58.38
17 Short Freight Lines 4.42
18 H. W. Souders 8.94
19 Kelly Service 9.81
20 Ron's Hardware 3.50
21 Mac's Drug Store 1.42
22 Mechanics Tool & Forge Company 7.40
23 William Ferguson 15.00
24 Joe Olson 15.00
25 Mrs. Leo Nelson 22.95
26 Marie Hinkley 22.95
27 Fochtman Motor Co. 776.14
28 Fochtman Motor Co. 268.52
29 Duro Test Corp. 21.00
30 Dore Mfg. Company 3.70
31 General Sales of Cadillac 6.50
32 Standard Oil Co. 359.24
33 Armco Drainage Metal Products 94.41
34 Shunk Mfg. Company 245.00
35 Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company 49.51
36 Van Zale Electric Co. 2.00
37 Alfred Hanson 1.09
38 Welsh Motor Sales 133.23
39 Crawford Avalanche 31.58
40 Charles Papenfus 252.50
41 S & B Oil Company 449.35
42 Doubleday Hunt Dolan Company 4.55
43 Grayling Lumber & Supply Company 35.21
44 Scientific Brake & Eqp. Co. 33.65
45 International Harvesting Company 5.40
46 Michigan Tractor & Mch. Company 26,096.42
47 Verwys & Company 3.11
48 Jennison Hardware Company 24.76
49 Duplex Truck Co. 23.63
50 Fate Root Heath Co. 16.96
51 Pneu Hydro 2.82
52 The Lowery Co. 29.70
53 Joseph T. Ryerson & Son 57.57
54 Detroit Ball Bearing Company 2.49
55 Wolverine Tractor & Eqp. Company 6.84
56 Reedsburg Hdw. Co. 310.98
57 Northern Supply Co. 154.53

Mr. Dan Babbitt appeared before the Board regarding the placing of road signs and submitted a tentative plan for a subdivision located in SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 12, T 26 N, R 3 W, which was discussed and some changes were suggested to him.

Bids for road oil were opened as advertised and the following bids were received:

Standard Oil Company (Indiana) \$.0838 per gallon
Great Lakes Asphalt & Petroleum Co. \$.0825 per gallon

Motion made by Chester Lozon and supported by Clare Madsen, to accept the bid of the Great Lakes Asphalt & Petroleum Company for 200,000 gallons Asphalt Road Oil S C 3. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.

May 7, 1947

Special meeting of Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Clare Madsen, Chester Lozon.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman, Arthur Feldhauser.

Mr. John Bruun delivered a right-of-way release to a strip of land four (4) rods wide for a public road in the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 11, T 26 N, R 1 W.

Motion made by Clare Madsen, and supported by Chester Lozon, to accept Mr. Bruun's right-of-way release. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.

May 15, 1947

Special meeting of Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Clare Madsen, Chester Lozon.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman, Arthur Feldhauser.

An inspection trip was made by the Board with the Superintendent over the Gierke Road, new road on the Section Line between Sections 10 and 11, T 26 N, R 1 W, which intersects the McMaster Bridge Road and goes to the Au-Sable River. Returning to Grayling by way of Conners Flats Road to Wakeley Bridge Road. Wakeley Bridge Road to M-72 and thence to Grayling.

Discussed the possibilities of being forced to reduce the road program in case of the failure of the Legislature to provide the funds needed.

Discussed the adopting of a standard type of cross section for all County Road Construction.

Motion made by Chester Lozon and supported by Clare Madsen, to accept the agreement from Wm. J. Orr and made payment of

Motion carried.

Dr. Van Vleck and Russell Ogg appeared before the Board regarding a change in entrance road from M-93 to the present road at Lake Margrethe.

John Bruun appeared before the Board requesting a road to be built from McMaster Bridge Road to the river.

Commissioners Arthur Feldhauser, Clare Madsen and Superintendent Hull made a trip to view the request of John Bruun.

Commissioners Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon and Superintendent Hull made a trip to view the request of Dr. Van Vleck.

Motion made by Clare Madsen and supported by Chester Lozon, to adjourn. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

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Motion carried.

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Motion carried.

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Motion made by Chester Lozon, and supported by Clare Madsen, to accept the agreement from Wm. J. Orr and made payment of

Motion carried.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.

\$1,000.00 for right-of-way for relocation of County Road and construction of Blomdie Dam Bridge located in Section 28, T 27 N, R 1 W. All voting in favor.

Motion carried.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.

May 20, 1947

Regular meeting of Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.

Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Clare Madsen, Chester Lozon.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman, Arthur Feldhauser.